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IN RE APPLICATION OF :
Florence TOURNILHAC, et al. : GROUP ART UNIT: 1616
SERIAL NO: 10/538,924 :
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FOR: CARE AND/OR MAKE-UP
COSMETIC COMPOSITION
STRUCTURED WITH SILICONE
POLYMERS

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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SIR:

In response to the Election of Species Requirement mailed January 31, 2008, Applicants elect, with traverse, the specie of nylon 611/dimethicone (polymer), volatile oil (isododecane) and octyldodecanol (compound capable of causing a decrease of fusion). Claim 1 does not require the presence of a volatile oil. Thus, of the pending claims, at least claims 1-38, 43-55 and 57 read on the elected specie of polymer and compound capable of causing a decrease in fusion. Taking the elected species of volatile oil into consideration, at least claims 1-7, 9-38, 43-55 and 57 read on all three elected specie.

Remarks begin at page 2 of this paper.